

Special CLEARANCE SALE

Big Opportunity for Saving in Ladies' and Children's READY TO WEAR GARMENTS.

WE let the axe that hacks prices fall on just the Goods you need for immediate use. Every article is genuine and unbeatable.



Children's Gingham Dresses, English and American Striped and soft effect. Reg. prices, 70c. 80c. Sale price to clear **\$1.25**

4 only Serge Tunics for Boys, colors: Red, Cream, Pale Blue. Reg. \$3.50. Sale price to clear **\$1.25**

4 only Infants' Cream Serge Matinee Coats. Reg. \$2.50. Sale price **85c**

Children's Rompers, in Seersucker, Gingham, Zephyr, etc. Reg. 75c. 80c. Sale price to clear **65c**

Reg. 40c. Sale price to clear **33c**

Children's Pelisses, made of Fawn Crash Linen with embroidered collar. Reg. \$1.25. Sale price to clear **65c**

Another line of Children's Wash Dresses, made of durable fabric, stylishly finished. Reg. \$1.25, \$1.45, \$1.60, \$1.75. Sale price to clear **99c**

Children's White Muslin and Lawn Walking Dresses, elaborately trimmed. Reg. \$1.25, \$1.45, \$1.60, \$1.75. Sale price to clear **70c**

Reg. \$2.00. Sale price to clear **\$1.00**

Reg. \$2.50. Sale price to clear **\$1.25**

Reg. \$3.00. Sale price to clear **\$1.50**

Reg. \$3.50. Sale price to clear **\$1.75**

Reg. \$3.75. Sale price to clear **\$1.90**

Infants' White Muslin Matinee Coats. Size 12 months to 2 years. Reg. 50c. Sale price to clear **30c**

Reg. \$1.00. Sale price to clear **50c**

Reg. 2.00. Sale price to clear **\$1.00**

Reg. \$2.50. Sale price to clear **\$1.25**

12 only Housemaids Dresses, Red and White Check Gingham, Navy Sateen with white spot, 2 pieces, blouse and skirt. Reg. \$1.65, \$1.85, \$1.95. Sale price to clear **70c**

Ladies' English and American Wash Dresses in Gingham, Linens, etc., in all the popular colors. This season's newest and best designs. Reg. \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.25. Sale price to clear **\$1.75**

20 only Ladies' Wash Dresses, Linen and Chambray, Pinks, Blues, etc., neat striped patterns. Reg. \$3.25, \$4.50, \$4.75. Sale price to clear **\$2.40**

6 only Plain Linen Dresses, different shades of Blue with embroidered fronts, collars and cuffs. Reg. \$6.75. Sale price to clear **\$3.75**

Ladies' White Muslin and Lawn Dresses, trimmed with lace and insertion; some embroidered. 1 only. Reg. \$7.50. Sale price to clear **\$6.00**

1 only. Reg. \$11.25. Sale price to clear **\$8.50**

2 only. Reg. \$11.50. Sale price to clear **\$9.00**

Misess' White Linen Dresses, trimmed with lace and embroidery. 6 only. Reg. \$2.25, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.75. Sale price to clear **\$1.75**

6 only. Reg. \$4.75, \$5.25, \$5.50. Sale price to clear **\$2.75**

7 only. Reg. \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.00, \$9.00. Sale price to clear **\$3.75**

LADIES' LINEN DUST COATS.

1 only White Linen Dust Coat. Reg. \$7.25. Sale price to clear **\$4.25**

1 only White Linen Dust Coat. Reg. \$10.50. Sale price to clear **\$4.50**

1 only Ecru Linen Dust Coat. Reg. \$11.00. Sale price to clear **\$4.50**

1 only Blue Linen Dust Coat. Reg. \$7.75. Sale price to clear **\$5.25**

1 Green Lustre Dust Coat. Reg. \$10.50. Sale price to clear **\$5.75**

SERGE COATS.

1 only Cream Serge Coat. Reg. \$1.50. Sale price to clear **90c**

1 only Cream Serge Coat. Reg. \$4.50. Sale price to clear **\$2.00**

1 Fawn Serge Coat. Reg. \$10.50. Sale price to clear **\$8.90**

SERGE COSTUMES.

1 only Cream Serge Costume. Reg. \$4.75. Sale price to clear **\$2.75**

1 only Cream Serge Costume. Reg. \$1.50. Sale price to clear **90c**

LADIES' AMERICAN BLOUSES. Black and White Spot; all one pattern. Reg. \$1.40. Yours while they last for **49c**

WHITE MUSLIN BLOUSES.

Reg. \$1.50. Sale price to clear **\$1.25**

Reg. \$1.75. Sale price to clear **\$1.35**

Reg. \$2.00. Sale price to clear **\$1.90**

Reg. \$2.50. Sale price to clear **\$2.20**

Reg. \$3.10. Sale price to clear **\$2.50**

Reg. \$3.75. Sale price to clear **\$2.85**

COLORED NET BLOUSES.

Reg. \$1.40. Sale price to clear **75c**

WHITE NET BLOUSES.

Reg. \$2.20. Sale price to clear **\$1.75**

Reg. \$2.75. Sale price to clear **\$2.25**

Reg. \$3.75. Sale price to clear **\$3.60**

Reg. \$4.50. Sale price to clear **\$4.25**

Reg. \$5.75. Sale price to clear **\$4.50**

Reg. \$6.50. Sale price to clear **\$4.50**

COLORED SILK BLOUSES.

Reg. \$2.50. Sale price to clear **\$1.75**

Reg. \$3.75. Sale price to clear **\$2.50**

Reg. \$4.50. Sale price to clear **\$2.75**

Reg. \$6.25. Sale price to clear **\$3.75**

Reg. \$6.75. \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$9.75. Sale price to clear **\$4.50**

MIDDY BLOUSES.

Reg. 70c. Sale price to clear **50c**

Reg. 75c. 80c. Sale price to clear **65c**

Reg. \$1.50. Sale price to clear **\$1.20**

Reg. \$1.75. Sale price to clear **\$1.35**

LINEN COSTUMES.

2 only—1 White Linen trimmed with blue; 1 V. Rose Line, Black facing. Reg. \$5.50. Sale price **\$3.75**

8 only White Drill and Linen Costumes, Blue Drill collar and cuffs. Reg. \$6.50. Sale price to clear **\$4.80**

2 only White Linen, handsomely finished with new braids. Reg. \$7.50, \$7.75. Sale price to clear **\$5.25**

6 only White Linen Costumes. Reg. \$8.50. Sale price to clear **\$6.25**

1 only Fawn Linen Costume. Reg. \$9.50. Sale price to clear **\$6.58**

1 only White Linen Costume. Reg. \$9.50. Sale price to clear **\$6.85**

2 only White Linen Costumes. Reg. \$11.00. Sale price to clear **\$8.50**

2 only White Linen Costumes. Reg. \$12.50. Sale price to clear **\$9.75**

COSTUME SKIRTS.

in Pique, Holland, Jean, Muslin, etc. 2 doz. Drill Skirts, Black and White Striped. Reg. \$1.55. Sale price to clear **\$1.25**

All White Skirts. Reg. \$1.10. Sale price to clear **90c**

Reg. \$1.40. Sale price to clear **\$1.00**

Reg. \$1.45. Sale price to clear **\$1.15**

Reg. \$1.60. Sale price to clear **\$1.25**

Reg. \$1.85. Sale price to clear **\$1.45**

Reg. \$2.10. Sale price to clear **\$1.60**

Reg. \$2.20. Sale price to clear **\$1.65**

Reg. \$2.65. Sale price to clear **\$2.10**

Reg. \$3.25. Sale price to clear **\$2.65**

Reg. \$3.75. Sale price to clear **\$2.90**

BROWN HOLLAND SKIRTS.

Reg. \$1.25. Sale price to clear **\$1.00**

Reg. \$1.60. Sale price to clear **\$1.25**

CREAM SERGE SKIRT.

1 only. Reg. \$7.00. To clear **\$1.90**

Ladies' Jersey Knit Vests.

60 doz. of a well known make. High and low neck. Sleeveless wing and long sleeves. Regular 25c. Sale price to clear **21c**

The Royal Stores, Limited.

Some Extraordinary Millinery Chances.



Children's Silk Crinoline and Straw Bonnets. Reg. 95c. \$1.00, \$1.40. Sale price to clear **65c**

Reg. \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00. Sale price to clear **\$1.00**

Reg. \$1.75, \$1.85. Sale price to clear **\$1.25**

Reg. \$2.25. Sale price to clear **\$1.75**

Reg. \$2.50, \$2.75. Sale price to clear **\$1.95**

Reg. \$4.50. Sale price to clear **\$3.50**

Children's White Silk Hats. Reg. \$2.25, \$2.75, \$3.45. Sale price to clear **\$1.90**

Reg. \$3.75. Sale price to clear **\$2.25**

Reg. \$4.25. Sale price to clear **\$2.50**

Ladies' White Millinery Hats. Reg. \$4.00. Sale price to clear **\$2.00**

Reg. \$5.00. Sale price to clear **\$3.00**

Reg. \$5.50. Sale price to clear **\$3.50**

Reg. \$6.75. Sale price to clear **\$4.00**

Reg. \$7.00. Sale price to clear **\$4.00**

Reg. \$7.50. Sale price to clear **\$4.50**

Reg. \$7.75, \$8.75, \$8.50, \$9.00, \$9.50. Sale price to clear **\$4.75**

Reg. \$10.00, \$10.50, \$12.50. Sale price to clear **\$5.00**

LADIES' COLORED MILLINERY HATS.

Reg. \$5.00. Sale price to clear **\$2.00**

Reg. \$5.50, \$5.75, \$6.75. Sale price to clear **\$3.50**

Reg. \$8.75, \$8.50. Sale price to clear **\$4.50**

Reg. \$10.50, \$10.75. Sale price to clear **\$5.50**

LADIES' COLORED READY-TO-WEAR HATS.

Reg. \$2.00 to \$4.00. Sale price to clear **\$1.00**

BLACK MILLINERY HATS.

Reg. \$3.90. Sale price to clear **\$2.50**

Reg. \$7.00. Sale price to clear **\$4.00**

Reg. \$8.00. Sale price to clear **\$5.00**

Reg. \$8.75. Sale price to clear **\$5.25**

Reg. \$10.50. Sale price to clear **\$6.00**

LADIES' COLORED CRINOLINE HATS.

Reg. \$1.40. Sale price to clear **\$1.00**

Reg. \$1.85, \$2.25. Sale price to clear **\$1.25**

Reg. \$2.50. Sale price to clear **\$1.50**

Reg. \$3.75. Sale price to clear **\$2.00**

LADIES' WHITE AND CREAM CHIFFON HATS.

Reg. 3.00, \$3.25. Sale price to clear **\$2.50**

Reg. \$3.50, \$3.75. Sale price to clear **\$3.00**

CHILDREN'S WHITE STRAW HATS

Trimmed with silk ribbon, flowers, etc. Reg. 90c, \$1.00. Sale price to clear **65c**

Reg. \$1.45, \$1.50. Sale price to clear **\$1.00**

Reg. \$1.75. Sale price to clear **\$1.25**

LADIES' UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' Underwear. Here is an opportunity to secure cool summer Underwear. Comfortable 2-piece Jersey Knit Style. This Underwear will be a constant reminder of your good buying judgment. We offer 50 doz. of these useful garments. Reg. 70c. suit. Sale price to clear **59c**

The Mongolian Arrives.

The R. M. S. Mongolian, Capt. Reith, 7 days from Liverpool, arrived in port Saturday afternoon. The ship made an excellent run out, having favourable weather until she reached this coast when fog was experienced. She brought a large mail, 500 tons of cargo and the following passengers:—A. R. Ayre, Miss Eileen Baird, Mrs. C. Blackburn, infant and nurse, R. T. Borwick, Mrs. C. Campbell, Miss G. Courthope, Miss B. Feaver, M. W. Furlong, Mrs. Furlong, W. M. Gee, Miss M. P. Gibb, Miss M. S. Gibb, E. Jackman, C. R. MacGregor, J. C. Marshall, Mrs. McNeill, Miss M. LeMessurier, J. J. Murphy, D. H. Murray, Mrs. Pickles, A. R. Reed, Mrs. Reed, Mrs. W. H. Taylor, Mrs. S. Levalliant, Miss Levalliant, Miss M. Levalliant, Mrs. D. Melville, Jean Mesnard, J. Seddon and six in teenage.

Bank Fishermen Astray.

Capt. Jno. Kirby in the banker "Olive" arrived here yesterday from the Grand Banks. The vessel had on board two French bankers belonging to the schr. Albert, sailing out of St. Pierre. The two men were picked up Monday last and having left their vessel at 4 a.m. that day they were suddenly overtaken by fog and could not find their way back to her. They were fortunate in boarding her when they did as a storm came up soon after and had they remained in their dory they would have been drowned. When the men were found the vessel was 175 miles off Cape Race and Thursday last it was very stormy and the vessel lost an anchor and some cable. Just west of Cape Spear the vessel picked up a cod trap afloat and the Capt. would be glad to restore it to the owner.

Habit.

BY H. L. RANN.



Habit is an acquired luxury which consists in driving the human will with the bridle off. Some habits are able to get over the ground faster than others, and have to be curbed by the grand jury four times a year at heavy expense to the truculent taxpayer.

The most difficult habit to acquire is the habit of thinking in words of five syllables without falling into a literary vein and flooding the market with unbalanced verbiage.

Habit is something which sizes a man in an unguarded moment, when ginger ale would do just as well, ties him in an upright position to the nearest bar and causes him to inhale enough whisky slings to float a whale-back at low tide.

One of the best habits now made is that which prevents people from digging into other folks' business without first being invited to draw cards. This habit is not as common as chewing gum at the theater in a laquacious and uninterrupted manner, but it wears better with the general public.

Whenever a habit becomes so familiar that it sends a man to work with a pair of eyes looking like two burnt holes in a rag carpet, it is time to taper off on seven-up or Five Hundred.

Habit is a treacherous article to tamper with, as it will warp a man's eyesight until he can't see the difference between thirty ten-cent cigars a day and smoking in moderation.

Some people try to disguise habit by chewing coffee beans, while others go about in company with the embittered young onion. If there is any habit which onions will not kill, it deserves to live to a ripe old age.

The most cohesive habits are those which have to be coaxed, coddled, sub-soiled, disc-harrowed and irrigated before they become enthusiastic over their surroundings and take out a life lease. Among these is the olive habit, which never yields until it has been swallowed several times in a defiant and intrepid manner.

Smashed the Forecastle.

When the schr. Jean which arrived here Saturday was out in the storm of Friday night and when her foretopmast fell a large piece of it struck the roof of the galley and was driven down through 3 inches of hardwood. One very large piece was driven through over 12 inches and is still to be seen protruding through the ceiling. Cook Thompson had just left the galley when the accident occurred and had he remained there might have been killed.

PRESCRIPTION "A" sells for 25 & 50 cents a bottle. 326.

C.L.B. Parade.

The C. L. B. paraded to Divine service yesterday afternoon at St. Thomas's Church. The turnout was in honor of the arrival to the city of the Colonel and founder of the Church Lads Brigade, Mr. W. McGee. The Colonel is en route to Canada on special brigade business and stayed off here to inspect the St. John's battalion. The service at the church was conducted by Rev. J. Hewitt, the lesson read by the Rector while Rev. Canon Bolt preached the sermon. After service ranks were reformed and the band rendered the "Dead March in Saul" out of respect for their departed member, Private Stanley Noel, who will be buried this afternoon.

On returning to the armoury Lieut. Col. Rendell in a brief but happy speech introduced Colonel McGee, who spoke favourably on the battalion's efficiency. He made a particular allusion to the turn-out of the ex-members. Before finishing he intimated that the Headquarters in England had adopted a scheme which had a tendency for bringing into closer relationship all the C. L. B. ex-members throughout the Empire. It is called the C. L. B. "Old Comrades." On Tuesday evening Colonel McGee will inspect the entire battalion at their armoury. This is the first visit of the Colonel here and there is no doubt but that he is favourably impressed with what he has seen and heard.

The Fogota left Greenspond at 3 a.m. to-day and is due here to-night.

Train Notes.

The Bruce express arrived at noon on Saturday with a large number of passengers. The excursion train at 2.30 p.m. yesterday in charge of Conductor Howlett took out 300 passengers. The Bruce express at 6 p.m. took 100 passengers.

ASK FOR MINARD'S AND TAKE NO OTHER.

FISHERMEN'S RACE.—Up to the present there are five crews practicing to compete in the Fishermen's Race on Regatta Day, and there is every possibility of a crew from Flatrock to be heard from. The question arises for the Committee to decide would it be advisable to have six boats start at the one time, with two crews turning the one buoy, or run off the set race in two heats.

Enjoy your meals by taking a teaspoonful of PRESCRIPTION "A" a few minutes before eating. 326

ROLLING THE GROUNDS.—The steam roller has been engaged for some time past levelling the walks in Bannerman Park. Mr. Wm. Stamp is in charge of the machine and is giving every satisfaction with it.

There will be a meeting of the C. L. B. Boat Club to-night at 8.30 p.m. Every member who has the welfare of the Club at heart is requested to attend. By order, H. BARNES, Secy.

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LO'S TONIC
(from Wine).
ROBIN, DEBILITY,
and Taste.